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Intimations.

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THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, 13TH AND 14TH DECEMBER:

ENTRIES for the OPEN BOAT SAILING RACE should be sent in to the Hon. Secretary, accompanied by the length measurement of Boat and Entrance fee \$2, not later than TO-DAY, the 18th Instant.

A GRAND STAND and ENCLOSURE have been erected on the Praya Reclamation, from which a good View of the Regatta may be obtained. Admission by Ticket only. Ladies cordially Tickets \$1 each, obtained either from the

CLUB STEWARD or at the Gate. The Ladies Prize will be presented on the First Day, immediately after the race, Other Prizes after the last race, Second Day. E. D. SANDERS, Hon, Secretary.

Hongkong, 11th December, 1804.

REGATTA HOLIDAYS.

THE Undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business at Noow on THURSDAY and FRI-DAY, the 13th and 14th instant respectively :--For the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA, A. C. MARSHALL

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T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. For the BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED, HONGKONG, CHANTREY INCHBALD,

Manager. For the NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA. GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR, Chief Manager.

For the MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, JOHN THURBURN,

Manager, Hongkong. For the BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE, Hongkong Agency.

EMILE MAYER, Manager, Hongkong, 10th December, 1804.

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Hongkong, 10th December, 1894. [1283

THE HONGKONG BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of I. the above SOCIETY will be held at the CITY HALL on THURSDAY, the 20th day of December, 1894, at NOON. All those who take any interest in the work of the Society, whether Members or not, are cordially invited to attend.

F. H. MASTER, Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, 6th December, 1804.

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by Louise Jordan Miln. Podmore-Apparitions & Thought Transference, Peck-The Constellations and how to find them. Brown's Nautical Almanack, 1805. Blotting Pad Diaries, 1895. Letts' Diaries, 1895. Smith's & Chas. Letts' Diaries, 1895. All the Christmas Musical Nos.-Dance, Comic

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REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on SATURDAY, the r.th instant, at 4.30 for 5 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethron are cordially invited. Hongkong, 8th Necember, 1894. [1276

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Hongkong, 16th October, 1804. BAY VIEW HOTEL.

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Hongkong, 5th December, 1804.

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"ARGYLL," '933 Captain J. C. Williamson, R.N R., will be despatched for the above Port on or about MON-DAY, the 17th instant.

Hongkong, 3rd December, 1804.

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"SIERRA MIRANDA," McMaster, Master, will load here for the above

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THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIE COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA, VIA AMOY.

THE Company's Steamship "ESMERALDA," Captain G. A. Tayler, will be despatched for the above Port TO-MORROW, the 12th instant, at 5 F.M., instead of as previously advertised. This Steamer has Superior Accommodation for Passengers and is fitted with the Electric

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THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY. Hongkong, 17th November, 1804.

TO SUBSCRIBERS.

SUBSCRIBERS TO "THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH" ARE MOST BESPECTFULLY REMINDED THAT ALL SUBSCRIPTIONS MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE.

At No. 10, Seward Road, Shanghai, on the 7th instant, the wife of J. L. MANTHEI, of a son. DEATH. At Shanghal, on the 7th December, 1894,

GABRIEL LAJEAT, aged 43 years. .

HONGKONG, TUFFDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1894.

TELEGRAMS.

THE ARMENIAN ATROCITIES LONDON, December 10th.

At the initiative of Great Britain an exchange of views is proceeding among the Powers with the object of taking joint action in Armenia, in connection with the recent strockies in that province.

SOCIALISM IN GERMANY.

opening of the Session remained sitting when cheers were given for the Emperor.

A NEW RUSSIAN LOAN. A new Russian loan on the London market is regarded as material evidence of the improved relations existing between Great Britain and Russia.

WAR NEWS.

(Special to Shanghai Mercury) THE TONGHAKS IN KOREA. YOKOHAMA, December 4th.

A telegram from Seoul dated the ard instant states that Count Inouve is taking vigorous measures to restore internal order in Korea. The Tal-won-kun resigns his position as Government Adviser and there have also been other radical changes made in that department, as well as it the Interior, Justice and Educational Body.

A number of Japanere and Korean soldiers have been conveyed in transport steamers to Asan ; thence they marched to Konji, where they attacked and routed some thousands of Tong-haks. During the attack several hundreds of Tong-haks were killed.

THE JAPANESE COMMANDERS. Marshal Yamagata is in such ill-health that It has been decided he must be invalided. Imperial Message, has left for the front.

First Army Corps. Captain Miura, of the cruiser Yamoskiro, late Harbour Master of Sasebo, has been appointed Governor of Port Arthur.

LI HUNG CHANG.

TIENTSIN, December 5th. Li Hung-chang has only been nominall stripped of other ranks and decorations, but he still retains full Viceregal power.

JAPAN AND KOREA. YOROHAMA, December 6th.

The Korean Government having broken the promises it had given to follow the advice of Count Incure in the matter of internal reforms. and having, after making a show of compliance, sent out secret messengers to incite a rising in the country. Count Incuye has informed the Korean Foreign Office that the advice bitherto presented has been revoked; and has recalled the troops sent to repress the rising of the Tonghaks. Count Isouye's discovery of those underhanded dealings on the part of the Government has much disturbed the Palace. The flag-Korean Minister of the Interior has resigned.

LATEST FROM THE SEAT OF WAR. It is reported that Marshal Yamagata's move ments of the divisions of the First Japanese Army Corps indicate an Intention to effect a junction with the Second Army, instead of prosecuting the advance on Moukden, having cleared the routes of China's forces. General Tachimi's Brigade has rejoined the

main army, Marshal Yamagata's beadpunters are still at Chiblien. The following vessels were seized inside Port Arthur when the place was captured:-Two orpedo bosts, two merchant coasters, and one small cruiser (building).

THE FIGHTING IN MANCHURIA THE JAPANESE REPULSED WITH GREAT SLAUGHTER.

News was received here by wire last night from Tientsin by our native contemporary the Tsun Wan Yas Po to the effect that on the 26th ultimo General Nieh's division attacked the Japanese at Linsan Pass and drove them back to Function, which is about half way between the bistorical city of Moukden and the

On the 6th instent Nieh followed up his victory and succeeded in dislodging the enemy who had fortified Fungtien Pass, and after desperate engagement lasting from sunrice to 3 p.m., succeeded in driving the Japanese as far as Chuhosho, to the south, and occupied the Pass, thus effectually checking the advance of the First Army Corps on Moukden.

General Nieh, according to these advices, awaiting reinforcements of cavalry and artillery before attempting to drive the Japanese over the Yaloo. In the meantime Moukden is said to perfectly safe, the Japanese being at least. hundred miles to the south of that city.

A decree has been issued by the Emperor China confirming this news and giving minu details of the engagements.

FOOCHOW RACES.

WINTER MIETING, 1894.

Stewards: -- Messrs. H. Baker, Wm. Graham Hy. Edgar, R. W. Mansfield, Thos. Gittins, J. C. Oswald, and A. W. Walkinshaw.

The STEWARDS Cup, presented; value \$100 entrance \$5. Half a mile.

Mr. Deyasdust's gr. Hard Times, 11st 11b...... Mr. Esher's gr. Kindar, (late Sketch) 10st olb ... Mr. Trebau's gr. Bonbon (late Edelblut)

10st 12'b The GRIFFINS STAKES of \$10 each with \$50

added; for all China Ponles that have never run at any meeting; weights as per scale. Three-quarters of a mile.

Mr. Ramsay's sk. Leander, 11st 11b Messes, Rouge & Noir's bl. Jackdaw, 10st olb. Mr. Esher's gr. Kinrara, tost 12lb The TOTALISATOR CUP, value \$150, with \$25

to the second, and \$10 to the third pony; for all China Popies; weights as per scale; entrance 210. One mile and three quarters. Mr. August's b Aristocrat, 11st 1lb Mr. Dryssdust's gr. Cobweb. 11st 1lb General Wyonor's gr. Bold Heart, 11st 11b ...

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE British flagship Centurion was at Woosung

on the 8th inst.

IT was reported in Shaughai that ice was forming on the Pelho on the 5th inst. THE Russian cruiser Ranbolnich arrived at

Shanghai from Nagasaki on the 7th inst. THE Hon. Sir C. and Ludy Frementle arrived his duty towards us who have relied upon him. here from Shanghal by the Caledonies this morning,

Kung Taotai, the Civil mandarin who was supreme command at Port Arthur, arrived at Shanghal the other day in cog.

THE Insurance offices at Shanghal, owing to the frequent cases of incendiarism, have offered a. reward of \$500 for information to secure com-

GEMERALS Sung, Ma and Nich have been Prince Hobenlohe, the new German Chancellor. | honored by the Throne with a red button and has applied to the Reichstag for permission to peacock's feather, for their past good services prosecute the Socialist members who at the land to spur them on to further exertion

ADMIRAL SIR E. FREMANTLE left Shanghel for Hankow in the Alacrity last Sunday morning.

MR. C. DENBY, Ir., who has been acting for for the United States, arrived here by the parts of the British Empire. Caledonien to-day en route to Mararilles.

THE adjourned Convocation of St. Andrew's Chapter, No. 218. S.C., will be held in the Freemasons' Hall. Zetland Street, this evening, at 8.30 for a o'clock precisely. Visiting companions are cordially invited.

THE British gun-vessel Pigmy arriv d at Kluklang on the 3rd Instant and left for Hankow the same day, where she relieves the Peacock for the winter. The Peacock returns to Shanghal. calling at the ports on rouls.

THE final heat in the Police Lawn Tennis Championship will be decided to-morrow afternoon at the "Central," the pairs being Acting Inspector Duncan and Mr. Fook-sang versus constables McCaulay and Burgess.

THE Hon. Inc. Helenus Ferguson, Minister of the Netherlands in China and author of the FROM a recent issue of the Graphic we take errived here from the North this morning by the | Oriental war :- " After the fights at Ping-yang owing to continued ill besith.

Lieutenant-General Nodru has been promoted Mo-tleu-ling by Nich Sze-ch'en, the Commander- -pn paper-14 to suggest that the Chinese owing to the General having only \$,000 troops, he was not able to pursue his advantage. MR. W. M. B. Arthor, who has been on leave during the past six months, is expected to return

> to the colony during the current week to resume duty as Chief Clerk of the Magistracy, relieving Mr. J. Jones, his locum tenens, who will thereupon return to his duties at the Central School. CAPTAIN A. W. R. Cobban, who has for a number of years been in command of the China

and Manila Co.'s steamer Zofire, and has been

granted a year's leave, left by the Sackson for

Southampton yesterday, Coptain Warrack has

assumed command of the Zafire, which vestel is still undergoing repairs at Kowloon Dock. THE China Merchants' Co's, s'eamer Kungching has been transferred to the Austrian flag, having, it is said, been purchased by Messrs, Mand & Co. She will be renamed the Ping.vi. It is rumoured that the Toonan, Kung bai and Chininug are also to be transferred to the same

The Chivnen has holated the British

THE Band of the 1st Shropshire Light Infantry will play the following programme at the Officers Mess, Murray Barracks, this evening, com-

mencing at 8 o'cleck :--March...... "Abschieds". ." Maritana " Selection..... Donna Juanita Suppé.
Valse Souvière Toi Waldteufel.
Selection..... Faust up to Date Luiz.
Polka The Deep Blue Sea Brewer.

THE Shanghai morning paper of the 8th inst says .- There are now some eleven hundred British sailors and marines ashore here, and these will be replaced by a similar number or Monday. It is estimated that our visitors will spend about \$20,000 during the time they are on shore, each lot spending about \$10 000 during the for y-eight hours they are on leave. These sailors have been very orderly during their run on shore, much to their credit, be it said.

THERE was another large attendance at Harmston's Circus last night, the military spec acle illustrating the China-Tapan war attracting hundreds of Chinese. The varied programme was gone through in the company's usual ecomplished style, a special feature being the Colours " proved far more successful than performance to-morrow afternoon.

THE four Chinese, who were arrested on the and inst. on warrants issued at the instance of the Viceroy of Canton, in a house in Woo-on Lane, in this colony, and were charged at the Police Court on the ard, inst. with burglary. murder and kidnapping at Pok-le (Waichow district), "Kwangtung province, on the and inst. were again brought before Mr. Hastings this morning. Four witnesses, including two police officers, sent down, it is alleged, from Canton to identify the prisoners, gave such conflicting evidence that the magistrate had no alternative but to discharge the accused.

In the Japan Official Gazette of a recent date are given the results of the census taken on December 31st last. The number of families is stated at 7,859,218, the total population 41,386,265. The sexes are-20,905,359 males to 20,470,005 females. The increase of population on 1892 was 296,325. The births in 1893 were 1, 177,663, and the deaths 937,177; marriages FIRST DAY -TUESDAY, 11TH. DECEMBER, 1894. totalled 357,013 and divorces 116,636. Emigrants are stated at 35,550, and prisoners at 109,319. for all China Ponies, weights as per scale; Among the prefectures Nilgata heads the list with a population of 1,764,608; Hyogo comes second with 1,569,953; Alchibird with 1,509,602; Tokye fourth with 1,409,759; Hiroshima fifth with 1.361.861 : Fuknoka sixth with 1,264,776 ; Osaka seventh with 1,332,440 | and Chiba eighth with 1,222,363. Several other individual Acur exceed the one-m Illon total ; it will suffice to name them without indicating their exact order or number : Saltama, Ibaraki, Shizuoka, Nagano, Okayama, Kumamoto, and Ragoshima.

decree depriving Li Hung-chang of certain with us and commenced hostilities and published in this journal at the time. of our troops against the enemy. It was. therefore, his special duty to perfect his we command that Li Hung-chang's decoration of the three-eyed peacock's feather (granted. hitherto, only to Princes, Dukes and nobles of the Imperial lineage) be piecked off (from his Imperial Yellow Riding Jacket be taken away from him The said high Minister of State should therefore, exert bimself in increasing the effectiveness of his milliary preparations. He thought show more energy in herrying up the various generals and their divisions towards the Aprile and the good name he has beet through

It may interest mariners to know that the Central Fairway buoys in this harbour are now being re-coloured in strict accordance with the rules recently issued by the Board of Trade for some time past as Charge & Affaires at Prking the guidance of the Harbour authorities to all

> In yesterday's issue, says the N. C. Datly Name of the 7th inst., we mentioned that the Viceroy Chang Chih-tung had relieved Admiral Kuo Pao-chang of his post of commander of the Nanyang Squadron, and had superseded Trong Taotal in the command of the Woosung forts. These officers were doubtless favourites of the Vicercy Liu K'un-yi, but we have it on good authority that they are quite incompetent for naval or military employment, so that by dispensing with their services Chang Chih-tung evidently shows he is determined that incapable officers shall not hold important posts under him. It is reported that Chang has been using his own eyes to some purpose, and that, unknown to his subordinates specially interested, he has inspected certain defensive positions in his Vice-

well-known "Manual of International Law," the following sensible comments on the French mail. Mr. Ferguson had to leave Peking | and the Yaloo River there was a general disposition in the British Press to consider the war as practically at an end. It was not only The Emperor's Chamberlain, with a gracious THE Shanghai native papers of the 6th inst. | that the Japanese had come out victorious from report that the Jananese have been repulsed at both encounters, but their losses were so slight The total Japanese casualties in the two engagements were authoritatively given as somewhere about 500. How, then, is it to be accounted for that a telegram sent off from Chemulpo a few days ago stated that 1,800 Japanese wounded were then under treatment there, and that 2,100 more had been sent back to Japan, apparently being too seriously damaged for further employment? A "large number" were also at Secul-by the way, Mr. Curson, in his "Problems of the Far East," gives "Sowl" as the nearest English equivalent for the name of the Korean capitalwhile we suppose that some sailors and soldiers were killed in the two actions. If, therefore, this Chemulpo message is anywhere near accurate the Japanese casualties must have amounted to fully ten times the number originally estimated Count Ito, the Japanese Premier, takes much credit for having driven the Chinese out of Korea in three months. Considering that there were no Chinese troops in the peninsula three months ago-the force at Plug-yang was burried forward after the declaration of war-and considering, too; that the Japanese held command of the sea. the achievement does not look to be particularly brilliant. The truth is that neither Power has yet done anything to make boast about. In the meanwhile, the Arctic winter draws closer, and the chance seems to be that victory will ultimately rest with King Frost.

MURDER AND SUICIDE AT THE "CENTRAL!

At the Magistracy this morning Mr. H. E. Wodehouse continued the inquiry into the circumstances attending the death of Serain Singh, 25 years of age, who as reported in these columns on the 7th, shot a Chinese constable at the Central Police Station on Thursday last and then committed suicide.

With the exception of the statement made I Mr. G. Horspool, Acting Captain Superintendent of Police, that the deceased Sikh applied to him twice on the 6th instant for thirty round of ammunition which he refused to grant owing to the form of application being irregular and that the knew of me reason why the Sikh should have shot lukong No. 140, very little light was thrown upon the subject by any of the witnesses new entries by the talented Aldeans, which examined. The evidence of Dr. Marques, who elicited most hearty applause. "Dying to save I examined the bodies of the deceased policemen I shortly after life was extinct, was interesting could reasonably have been excepted, and it will. In so far as it showed that the Chinese be again produced this evening and also at the | constable must have been instantly killed owing to his being shot through the head while the body of the Sikh who caused his death had several bullet wounds in it, the one that proved fatal evidently having been fired by himself into his stomach at very close quarters. That appeared to the witness to be certain, because the man's clothing was singed in the immediate vicinity of the wound below the chest,

His Worship closed the inquiry at p.m. . He said— I find that the deceased Chinese constable No. 140 owed his death to the effects of a bullet fired intentionally at him by the deceased Serain Singh, who at the same time met with his death by inflicting a builet wound on his own person with Intent to commit suicide. There is no evidence to show whether the deceased Sorain Singh was or was not in his right mind at the time, and there is no evidence forthcoming to explain the reason of his action towards the deceased Chinese constable No. 140.

THE CUSTOMS BLOCKADE.

THE ACCUSED HELD FOR EXTRADITION.

Wodehouse concluded the hearing of evidence but never as to principles. Mr. Harrison in the case arising from the wholly illegal seisure expresses his willingness to support commercial cantile. Agency Company for the recovery of of a Chinese junk in Quarry Bay on the 9th reciprocity as a means of obtaining foreign money paid as dividends out of capital, the ultimo, and in connection with which the markets for American productions. Chinese Government has applied for the rendition | It is estimated that the Lower House, or of three youthful members of the crew of the House of Representatives, will have a clear junk who were charged by Paul Brossman and Republican majority of 104. four Customs gigmen with assault with intent Mr. Bland, who passed the Seignlorage Silver ality, was brought under the notice of Mr. to do grievous bodily harm. Mr. C. Ewens Bill through the Senate last session, has been Asquith, the Home Secretary, by a deputation represented the Celestial empire, but Mr. H. L.; defeated in the State of Missouri, THE following is a translation of the Imperial Dennys, who has bitherto appeared for the Board of Trade concluded its inquiry defence, was not present owing, we believe, to to-day into the wreck of the British India Steam remarks, asserted that some of the masseurs decorations and about which so many misleading his taking serious exception to the manner in Navigation Company's mail steamer Dorunda, were in the hibit of sending circulars to members reports have been spread by certain unscrupulous | which Mr. Ewens conducted the prosecution on from Brisbane, on the coast of Postugal pa of clubs practically inviting them to visit their press birelings :- When Japan broke her treaties | the 8th instant, particulars of which were | September 28th.

latter kingdom, raised an army to punish the seized with an unloaded rifle while she was in ling the light on dangerous rocks. invader. The Imperial High Commissioner of Chinese waters. The ammunition was left in A cable message from Venezuela reports that suggestion. The police, he said, were not the the Pelyang, Li Hung-chang, being entrusted the Customs glg. A man on board the junk a disastrous cloud-burst there has resulted in guardians of morality, and in addition there was with the chief control over the armies of this snatched the rifle away from him. He could great loss of life and proper'y. So far as is no evidence that the masseurs had been guilty portion of our Empire, was given power to not say which man it was. He found the rifle known 150 persons have lost their liver, but the of a breach of he law. strange everything for the spee y despatch afterwards on board the junk in Quarry Bay. | correct estimate office it jury to life and property | The report of the United States Sylke Com-Dr. Steadman said that Chung Fan had Is not known. been brought to his office on the morning of the preparations quickly. Instead of this, hew- toth November, suffering from a scalp would ever, he has procrastinated, and thus has and briuses on the shoulder. The cut on the not been able to selse upon favourable op- | head might have been caused by the back of portunities for military operations, insomuch an axe or other blunt instrument. The bruises Mr. F. Alexander's b h Son of a Gen, by on the shoulder were more serious than a single advantage gained. This is failing to the wound on the head. He gave him a certificate for three days' leave from work, but In slight suntshment of this conduct, therefore, did not think his injurious sufficiently serious to send him to the hospital

Chung Fan, re-called, said that the wound on the head was caused by a blow aimed at him by a man who had a piece of wood in his hand. by his assallants' fists.

said the defendants were unknown to the police. They were not supposed to be residents of Before making any statements the defend- taken. Reither the first nor third bad anything to day,

entirely false, and that he knew nothing about the alleged assaults.

His Worship then referred to the Ratradition Ordinance and said "I will commit the prisoners to gaol, but they will not be handed over to the

Chinese authorities until the expiration of fifteen days, and in the meantime they can apply to the Supreme Court for a writ of habeas corpus. The defendants were then removed to Victoria Gool in custody. In the issue, Mr. Justice Williams has postponed

We understand an application will at once be made for a wilt of habeas corpus, and vigorous efforts are to be made to save these unfortunate youths from the fate that undoubtedly awaits them should they be ultimately handed over to the Chinese authorities.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION

There was a fairly large attendance of members at Kowloon on Saturday to compete for the Short Range Cup and Spoons, but the shooting was far from brilliant. The Cup was won by Lieut. Hitching, R.E., and the Spoons by Sapper Lawson, Mr. Rutter, Petty Officer L Goodyer, Mr. W. M. Deas, and Commander

The following are the best scores :---

eco 300 Total, H'cap Grand yards, yards, Total, points, total, Sapper Lawson, R.E., Lieut, Hitching, R.E., Mr. R. J. Rutter, R.N. Patty Officer L. Goodyer, R. N. all Mr. W. M. Dess.... Commander Ashe, R.N. Boet net score.

NEWS BY THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL.

The China Navigation Co. asteamer Changsha. Captain O. Anderson, with the Australian mall, arrived in harbour this morning. For the following telegrams, we are indebted to our Colonial exchanges :--

LONDON, November 7th. Madame Ruppert, a well-known complexion specialist, who has been acting at the Princess Theatre, has been polsoned by cating the contents of a box of sweets. The lady is rather seriously iii. but it is expected that she will

Dr. Kennion, Bishop of Bath and Wells, held a reception of the clergy of his diocese at Bath In the course of a speech on the occasion, Dr.

Kennion said that the experience of Australia had proved that the alleged advantages of Church disestablishment were but illusory, as in the colonies where disestablishment prevailed the lealousy and rivalry of the Churches were more intense, and there was a less possibility of any future union,

The Insolvency Court has suspended for three years the discharge of Mr. H. A. Trower, formerly of Sydney, owing to the assets being insufficient to pay Ics. in the f. Lord Fingal has refused the offers of several | were rescued by the steamer Tarshaw. They companies for the purchase of the Londonderry were completely exhausted. The bay is one

mine at Coolgardie. His lordship intends to sheet of foam owing to the heavy gale raging. personally float the mine into a company, The Sultan of Turkey has conferred upon her Majesty Queen Victoria the Order of the Ottoman | at Sydney, the victims being two brothers named

tion condoling with the family of the late Car | simultaneously, leaving letters explaining that on his Majesty's death was submitted, and their honour had been called in question in created a warm debate. The Opposition members strongly opposed the and the scandal involved could not to be borne.

repugnant to the Poles, and was the suppressor | mother in Germany, less £50 expenses incurred of freedom in Hungary. The resolution was eventually passed, the argument in its favour that proved most effective being that the Czar had been the upholder of

November 5th. question of the proposed proceedings against the 1st innings, 483; and innings, 164 for the loss old directors of the New Zealand Loan and Mer- of three wickets; total (with seven wickets still cantile Agency Company for the recovery of the to fail), 547. Play will be resumed to-day.

money paid as dividends out of the capital. The postponement was arranged to enable counsel to apply for a final cessation of the case. I by the people of Liberia, an independent Negro Mr. Levi Parsons Morton late vice-president Republic of Western Africa, on the British of the United States and a Republican, has steamer Ambria, 2130 tons, owned by the been elected Governor of the State of New York. | African Steamship Company. The Tammany Ring has lost the control of its York aldermen, who were its nominees,

In the State of Indiana Major M'Kinley, the author of the protective Tariff Bill, obtained a killed. majority of 140,000 votes. It is expected that I he will be a candidate for the Presidency stathe loading guns and a similar number of Nordennext election. November oth.

Lord Fingal is floating the Londonderry Gold- | event of their being required. mining Company, Coolgardie, West Australia with a capital of £700,000. It is reported that | in the House of Commons, addressed a large the entire amount has been almost underwritten. | meeting at Sunderland to-day. Mr. Benjamin Harrison, former Republican were never more numerous or more ardent than at present. They might differ as to the rates of At the Police Court this morning Mr. H. E. duties or the schedules of articles to be taxed.

endeavoured to coerce our tributary' state of Chung Fan, one of the Customs gigmen, for six months, finding that he had failed to | quietly suppressed by the authorities, and no Chachsten (Kores) we, in our sympathy for the recalled, said he boarded the junk that was exercise proper and sesmanlike case after sight. | particulars published.

At the Liverpool November Meeting lordey, important of the recommendations is one in

and three furlongs. Petronel-I bons, 4 yrs Sir W. Throckmorton's b h Avington, by

Melton-Annette, 4 yrs..... Mr. A. D. Cochrane's b h Egerton, by Hampton-Pompetia, 4 yts...... 3

of Trade and Commerce, has opened the tanders hall and that the privilege of wearing the while the boules on the shoulder were caused received for the Pacificicable, dent of the Royal Colonial Institute. Six of these covered the proposed route, and all Inspector Kemp, who had charge of the case, were under the estimate of the cost, as prepared by Mr. Sandford Fleming. My. Bowell will now consult with the Australian

> MELECURNE, Nevember 10th Yosteriny Major Joglie blow out his bea

Regina won The Oaks at the V.R.C. meeting Athara being second.

LONDOM, November 12th. An explosion of firedamp occurred to-day in Uress, Bohemia, causing the death of 20 persons. The French Government has given orders for the construction of an additional fort in the Channel. The situation of the new defence works will be between Cherbourg and Bavre. Owing to the important questions involved

his decision in the metter of the proposed civil action against the old directors of the New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company for the payment of dividends out of capital. News has been received at Constantinople that serious rioting has occurred at Sassoum, in Armenia, and that 3,000 Armenians have been killed. It is also stated that many villages have

been destroyed. The report, however, is uncon-Mr. Grover Cleveland, President of the United States, states that he intends to Issue bonds for £10,000,000 to replenish the gold reserve.

November 13th A telegram from Washington reports that the United States Government intends to float a per cent, loan of 100,000,000dol. (£20,000,000). Half the amount asked for will be praced abroad. While two men were praying in the Roman Catholic Cathedral-at Dundalk. Ireland, they were attached by a companion. They then sought the police to give the man into custody, but in their absence the assailant attacked a woman in the cathedral, and butchered her in a

fearful manner. The man was arrested A disastrous fire is reported from New Orleans. The flames broke out on a wharf, and 30,000 bales of cotton were destroyed, besides great damage to other goods. The fire was the work of an incendiary. The perpetrators are supposed to be some of the 'lumpers' now on strike.

It is reported that another native outbreak in Samoa is imminent, but no details are to hand, The bomb found yesterday near the Law Courts was opened with the greatest precaution. It was found that there was no explosive matter in it, and that it had not been lorded

Heavy storms and floods have been experienced in England, es, ecially over the south and west. Great damage to properly has been done. Bridges have been washed away, railways flooded, trains delayed, and the country inundated. Many towns in Cornwall have been submerged, but no less of it's is reported. Numbers of people we, a rescued by means of boats. A letter appears in the Standard this morning with reference to the Earl of Rosebery's recent speech at the London Gulld Hall, and his statement that the Government had been it able to trace the source of the report that the New Zealand Government wished or intended to assume the control of the administration of affairs in Samos. The writer says that this ignorance of the

the attitude of the Australian colonies generally, towards Samoa indicates the small attention the Government have given to Australian matters. BRISB NE. November 13th. The small river steamer Tholl-was swamped in Moreton Bay early this morning. The crew

Premier with respect to Mr. Seddon's action, and

SYDNEY. November 14th. A singular case of d-uble suicide has occurred Munck, skin merchants, newly arrived in Aur-In the Hungarian Parliament to-day a resolu- I tralia from Germany They committed suicide connection with certain business transactions. resolution on the ground that the late Csar was | They have left £800 to be forwarded to their

since their arrival ADELAIDE, November 14th. The following is the result of the cricket match between the English Eleven and the local team up to the time for knocking offplay yesterday afternoon, Stoddart's team-ist innings, 477 The Court has postponed until Monday the | and innings, 160 | total, 637. Adelaide eleven-

LONDON, November 14th. News has been received of an attank made

The steamer is alleged to have loaded a cargo chief stronghold by the defeat of certain New without the consent of the Liberian authorities, and as a result a fierce attack was made upon the vessel, at of her officers and crew being

> The Admiralty has directed that 16 breechfeldt guns be stored at the Naval Depot in Sydney, for use by merchant cruisers in the Mr. Ballour, leader of the Conservative party

Referring to Lord Rosebery's attack on the President of the United States, says that, the House of Lords, he said that the threat to attempt elections just concluded prove that the vast to destroy that Chamber meant that democracy majority of the American people are in favor of was entering upon a perilous path; but he a protective policy, and that the protectionists | believed that British popular instincts would prevent the danger. Mr. Justice Williams this morning made an

order finally stopping proceedings against the

directors of the New Zealand Loan and Mer-

directors of the reconstructed company contenting to pay costs. The existence of massage houses in Lundon. which are, it is alleged, really places of immor-

Some of the speakers, in the course of their houses for immoral purposes; and they urged The Board suspended the Captain's certificate, that it was desirable that such houses should be

Mr. Asquith, in reply, declined to act upon the

mission has been published. Among the most the Liverpool Autumn Cup, 1,060 sovs. One mile to irbitrate is disputes between employers and

Theresult of the elections in the Hawaiian Republic favors union with the United States. A body of 100 brigands, acting in military order, have attacked and looted the village of Tortoll, on the island of Sardinia, in the Mediterranean. They were to osed by the police, but the latter were defeated, several of their Mr. Mackensie Bowell, the Canadian Minister | aginber being killed and many others injured.

The Dake of York has been cleated vice-Presi-ADELAIDE, November 15th. The Adelaide team has won the opening match with the Englishmen with six wickets to the good, PERTH (W.A.) November 15th.

colonies concerned before any further action is Two members of the West Australian native police force have levanted, taking with them their revolvers, rifles, and over a thousand partridges. It is believed they fatend bushrange hele and troubled for how in provide,

Lo non, Nevember 16th. In the course of a speech last night, the Earl of Rosebery said that the anxiety displayed by the House of Lords for the Discussion of social questions seemed like a death-bed repentance. The next general election would, however, either | act. 'scotch' the Lords or give that Chamber a new leass of life.

Lord Rosebery added that he declined to take any share in the effort which was being made to abolish the House of Lords. What he desired was to see a readjustment effected of the relations between the two Chambers.

. Mr. Justice William, in stopping the action the Marquis of Ripon. Secretary of State for the against the old directors of the New Zealand | Colonies, should insist up n Swaziland remaining Loan and Mercantile Agency Company, said Independent. tifut he acted solely in the interests of the reconstructed company. He wast most reluctant to stop the proceedings, and he considered it unfortunate and regretable from every point of view that the charges against the old directors would thus remain unsettled.

In appounding his decisions, Mr. Justice filibustering. Wil iams said that in the long ron it would be proved that possible disclosures were preferable to a suppression of the truth. Light never did any barm, even in commercial matters. He he ped that the decision he had reluctantly arrived at would not injure anybody. He added that he was satisfied that the reconstructed company had no desire to shield the old directors. Nevember 16th.

The Financial News says that Mr. Justice Williams has proved that his judgment is sound, He personally forced on the action against the old directors of the New Zealand L. and M. A. Company, but now admits that he was wrong. From India it is reported that a force of 6000 Waziris have assembled at Bannu, on the Pun-

jaub frontier, and menace the Punjaub. The Chief of the Prison Administration in St. Petersburg has returned to that city after i p olonged tour in Siberia and Saghallen, and has presented a report on the convict system. He recommends the settlement of a section of the convicts as farmers, and proposes a scheme which will completely transform the treatment to which convicts have been subjected.

The trial of Games Canham Read on a charge of murdering a girl named Florrie Dennia, at South End on June 24, was concluded at Chelmsford Assizes, before Baron Pollock, today. The judge summed up briefly, and is putting the case to the jury impressed them with the necessity of being just and not be influenced by the evidence regarding the immoral habits of the prisoner.

The jury retired, and after an hour's deliberation returned into court with a verdict of guilty.

The prisoner remained calm, and heard the verdict without apparent concern. When asked if he had anything to say why sentence o death should not be passed, he made a calm and deliberate speech. He declared that he had not seen Florrie Dennis for two years previous to the murder. He had never during that period written to her, and had had no communication whatever with her. He never fired the revolver at the woman, and the witness Ayrish, on whose evidence the Crown case chiefly depended, had told a pack of lies. O the day of the tragedy he was so miles from the scene of the murder.

His lordship then sentenced prisoner to death. A shocking tragedy has been perpetrated in a Court of Justice at Nashville, a town in Tenneusee, United States. During the progress of the business a man named Whitworth, employed as a clerk of the court, produced a revolver and shot Judge Allison, who was presiding over the court, dead. Before any person could interfere the murderer pointed the revolver at his own head and fired, inflicting an instantly fatal wound. It is stated that the tragedy was the outcome of an old political grievance which Whitworth

considered he had against the judge. The Rome correspondent of The Times reports that the conference promoted by the Pope for the unity of the Eastern and Western Churches has completely failed, this being due to the hostility displayed by the Eastern Church. During a hurricane on the English coast yes terday the steel ship Culmore, 1639 tons, sank off Spurn Head, a promontory forming the most southern extremity of the coast of Yorkshire, and

A trawler went to the assistance of the vessel before she sank, and in attempting to rescue the crew collided with the Culmore, crushing and killing Captain R. Reid and his wife. The trawler succeeded in saving four lives.

21 of her crew were drowned.

The Colonial Office deples that the Marquis of Ripon has the subject of a proposed Colonial Conference under consideration,

The weather in England during the past for days has been a continuance of heavy storms and great rainfall. Several of the rivers are in heavy flood. The Avon, at Bath, has run over its banks, and 1000 people living on the low lands of the city have been rendered homeless. The Thames has risen very high, and houses at Eton and Windsor can only be approached by boats. The storm on the coast continues, and a number of ships have been lost. Many of the bodies of drowned passengers and sailors are being washed ashore at different points. Several serious subsidences have

Three Germans and a Frenchman have been arrested at Parison suspicion of being spies sent to France to obtain information regarding the fortifications and defences.

occurred owing to the floods on important rail-

The Emperor Nicholas II, has decided to appoint Prince Lobanoff as Imperial Chancellor of Russia, this position having been left vacant since the retirement of Prince Gortschakoff in

Times says that the appointment regarded invorably throughout the whole of Europe.

It is reported that Count Gourko has resigned the position of Governor of Warsaw owing to a disagreement with the policy of the Emperor Nicholas with regard to the Poles. Heavy storms continue to prevail in the south,

and many ships are reported to have been wrecked. In one shipwreck off Dover three persons lost their lives. The Promenade Pier at Dover was destroyed by the force of the storm. The growing friendship between Russia and Great Britain it is believed is certain to lead to an entente cordialle between those powers. Considerable anxiety is felt in Austria and Italy, which, with Germany, form the Triple Alliance, at the course of events between Great

Britain and Russia. The United States Government report that their offer to negotiate or arbitrate between China and Japan, and thus cause a cessation

of hostilities, has falled for the present. The Pope proposes, when the war between Japan is ended, to establish a blerarchy in China. His Holiness also desires to establish diplomatic relation between the

Vatican and Japan, From Zanzibar it is reported that 200 Somalis on the Tana River, near Witu, approached the main station with hostile intentions, and were attacked by the British, who killed 40 and saved

the station. Mr. Cecil J. Rhodes, Premier of Cape Colony and managing director in South Africa of the British South Africa Company, arrived at

Plymouth to-day. Replying to an address of welcome, Mr. Rhodes said he was glad to know that his dountrymen approved of his general policy South Africa. He complained that a

the employment of the British South Africa Company, under Dr. Ismeso , thieves and murderers, ecoming to regard the adding of a new province to the British Empire as a criminal

The Queen to-day received the delegates from Swazlland, who asked that a British protectorate might be established over that country. Her Majesty, however, declined to make any alteration in the existing condition of affairs.

The Swasland delegates suggested that in the event of a British protectorate being refused,

Her Majesty replied that owing to the existing convention between Great Britain and the Transvaal it was impossible to establish a British protectorate unless with the assent of the Boers. If Swariland was declared an independent State the Boers would be certain to resort to

The Vienna correspondent of the Standard says that England's change of front with regard to the Triple Alliance Powers, and her increasing friendship with Russia, are attracting close attention, and are generally regretted in Europe.

The correspondent states that this change on the part of England is attributed to the action of Germany in baffling the British efforts to secure checked British progress and influence in Africa, thus forcing England to abandon her friendship with Germany.

James Canbam Read, who is now lying under | and rushed forward to deliver the assault ; there sletent in protesting his brother's innocence. East Fort, . large double fort overlooking the of a penalty." He declares that the condemned man could East Port basin, the guns of which sweep prove an alibi if he would but abandon what he | the basin, the slopes of Pelyushan, the forts on terms his "fanatical heroism" in refusing to the Tiger's Tail, and on Huangshib-shan, so that sacrifice the name and reputation of the latest | when this fort fell into the enemy's hands intact woman with whom he cohabited, and with they quickly made use of these advantages. The whom he was living on the night of the garrison getting demoralised and large numbers

from Flume, a port on the Adriatic. It seems soon the discovery of the mutilated bodies of whose parents refused consent to the marriage. I more soldiers who had met the same dreadful Twenty-six of these young fellows made a raid fate, further exasperated the Japanese and the other evening, and captured 25 young we- general slaughter of the garrison followed away with the objects of their attentions. A hue | had their retreat cut off by a constant shell-fire and cry has been raised, and the abductors are from the enemy's fleet which had worked round being pursued.

November 17th. article in that Journal, supplying data for its other steamers. At night on the 21st November reports, that the New Zealand Government all the forts on the east side were desired to undertake the administration of affairs I the hands of the Japanese, and at noon

should assume control of the islands.

the stateme: t in the Auckland message of Oct- i Zealand Parifament.

shirked the real point.

The Armenian Christians have appealed to thousand men. the Earl of Kimberley, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, to intervene on their behalf, and tell a tale of horrible outrage and murder on the part of Turkish soldiers.

They declars that the Turkish soldiers in the Betlis district of Turkish Armenia, outraged 400 women in one village, and then backed them to pieces with sword and beyonet. They also assert that the commander of the military ordered his men to violate and murder 200 women in a second village.

They further allege that the soldiers captured 60 girls and imprisoned them in church, where a similar scene of outrage and butchery occurred, the blood of the poor victims escaping from under the doors of the sacred building. The soldiers are reported to have offered not to kill a few of the girls if they abjured their religion, but they preferred death.

The total number of Armenian Christians brutally killed by the Turkish soldlery is said to have been 6000. Some of the people are alleged. to have been burned alive in their own houses, while babes were selsed from their parents and beheaded in their presence. The Turkish authorities deny these outrages

and murders, and declare that the Armenians rebelled, and suffered death in consequence, The Canadian Government report that the Australian colonies have signed a convention for the interchange of money orders with Canada. The directors of the Union Bank of Australia have withdrawn their appeal against the refusal

of Mr. Justice Williams to allow the voluntary liquidation of the Bank of South Australia under the supervision of the Court. The directors now intend to move for the compulsory liquidation of the bank.

AUCKLAND, November 17th, extent of 1.31,000. The insurances amount to reported, were touched, £21,000, among the offices concerned being the Australian Alliance, £1000; the Victoria, £1000; and the North Queensland, £1000.

LONDON, Nov. 18th. Bob Fitzsimmons, the Australian pugilist, has been arrested at Syracuse, in the State of New York, charged with causing the death of Riordan. the American pugilist. The two had been engaged in a price fight, when Riordan was struck senseless with a blow on the chin, and died

without regaining consciousness. November 10th. A fatal diving adventure occurred yesterday. A man named Fuller, who has been giving diving exhibitions for some time, ascended the roof of the new Tower Bridge to a height of 240 ft. from the river. He had arranged to dive into the river from the height. He leaped forth, and fell like a stone into the water, which covered him for a time. He was soon seen to rise to the surface, but before the boats walt-Ing to rescue him could get near him, he sank out of sight and was seen no more. The boat sought him in valu, and the police are now engaged in dragging the river for the body.

THE ATTACK ON PORT ARTHUR.

A correspondent contributes to the N. C. Daily News the following interesting account of the fall of Port Arthur, confirming previous statements as to the dastardly atrocities committed on the defenceless Chinese by the "civilised" soldiery of enlighted Japan !--

BEGINNING THE ASSAULT. By all the news that can be gathered from Port Arthur It appears that, after having capture

section of the English people called the men in the forts at Tallenwan, the Japanese advanced in the hands of the Japanese, as despatches are towards the Namknapling, a pass in a mountain | passing freely between the two invading armies. range shout half-a-mile long through which the It is also stated that H.I.H. Prince Arisugawa military road runs to Porl Arthu. This pass is Takchita, who has been ordered to proceed to one of those natural fortifications which a few | China for the purpose of watching the war operdesperate men could hold against great odds, atlons, left Ulina for the front on 20th Nov, mber. and here the Japanese, expecting to have their passage disputed, advanced with all precaution. but found it deserted and their army of fifteen thousand men ultimately marched through without breaking step, and in the open spaces between it and Liushunkou formed their campe and settled down to complete their preparation for the final assault of Port Arthur, with its very formidable forts and a garrison of eight thousand

> THE ADVANCE The Japanese arrangements must have been thoroughly complete when, on the 21st of advanced from Port Arthur to attack them. close to their lines, the Japanese opened a ter-

rible fire from rifles. Maxim and field-guns. The

first Chinese column broke and fled, and the

second column, which was never under fire. led

CHINESE DISORGANISATION.

The Japanese advanced to storm the nearest forts which were all countermined, but before peace between China and Japan, and in having they arrived within the radius of the mines the Chinese in their excitement fired the whole train, when the far anese troops, simply lay down and escaped without injury, but the dust and smoke Harry Read, brother of the condemned man | had not cleared away before they fixed bayonets sentence of death for the murder of Florrie I was a short struggle and the forts were in their Dennis at South End, on June 24, is most per- | hands. Ti Japanese next advanced on the running away, the enemy at first opened their A strange story of love and elopement comes | columns and allowed them to run through, but that a number of young fellows banded them- lieutenant and five soldiers altered this, and selves together for the purpose of kidnapping orders went out that no quarter was to be given, girls whom they had fallen in love with, but I Afterwards the discovery of the bodies of six men. The men were on horseback, and all rode | hundreds who tried to escape by the West Port to Pigeon Bay and fired over the range. Some soldiers escaping from the forts on the West The Earl of Rosebery, in a letter published in Bluff got out to sea in sampans and were picked The Times this morning, replies to the recent up the next day by the steamship Bygdo and on the 22nd the forts on the west side, and in His Lordship expresses regret that he used fact the whole place, were mastered, and this words in his Gulidball speech which went Gibraltar of the East, naturally easy to fortify beyond his meaning. He explains also that he with a fort upon every colon of vantage until the was referring particularly in his speech to an un- | whole place was studded with thirty odd forts and founded cable message which appeared in The | batteries, armed with Krupp, Cannet, De Bange, Times dated "Auckland, October 25th," and Armstrong, and every other description of gun which stated that a leading member of the New | likely to be of any use, with mimes of military Zealand Cabinet was about to visit Semoa in | walls and bridges, the tidal basin with solid connection with the proposal that New Zealand | granite walls 550 yards and 26 feet at low water, to look at which recalled at once Cherbourg or The Times in commenting upon Lord Rose. Toulon, the graving dock of the best construcbery's letter, maintains that official dispatches | tion, 385 feet long, 80 feet wide, 38 feet deep, fully sustain the acuracy of its messages with with a fine fustalization of Gwynne's Pumps and regard to New Zealand and Samoa and adds that I two auxiliary sets of Chinese make, a large engineering establishment full of the best ober 25th, was given as announced in the New | machines and tools, boller shops, forges, foundry, ship building slips, fine sheer legs, a large and The St. James's Gazette, referring to the dis- | powerful dredger, ammunition stores, 15,000 tons pute between The Times and the Earl of Rose- of Kalping coal-bave all fallen intact into the bery, says that the latter, in his explanation, has I hands of the enemy after a most miserable pretence of a defence by a garrison of eight

THE WAR IN THE NORTH.

The following notes are taken from recent issues of our Shanghai morning contemporary:— General Nich Sze-ch'en according to native reports from Manchuria, has gained several successes in Manchuris, in the vicinity of Motienling, against the Japanese. But as the troops under his sprcial com-a-d have dwindled down to only four or five thousand men, it is feared that he will not be able to distinguish himself much unless the Throne places another 10,000 men under him. The Chinese officials who know General Nich, declare he is the best officer now in Manchuria.

A Taotal named Hsü, specially ordered by edict to examine and report upon the fighting capabilities of the Pelyang fleet, has been in Tientsin for the past month or so, trying to persuade the Viceroy Li to order the Pelyang flect to come up to Taku in order to enable him to perform his mission. But the Viceroy is warded by him later. The Chinese say the denounced as "obstructive." because he has declared that the lapanese fleet will attack the Chinese in force if it comes to Taku at the present juncture, and so has flatly refused to accede to Hsti Taotal's request. On the other hand the Taotal is afraid to take boat to Wei- when objection was offered, they beat the hai-wel, where the fleet is at present, "for feer chaimin, heads of departments in the yamen, of being captured by a chance Japanese cruiser." Hence Had Taotal is still taking his case at

Seven houses, used as tenements for the employes in the Eastern Arsenal at Tientsin. By a fire at Fletcher, Humphrey, and Co.'s were destroyed by fire on the 27th November, wine and spirits and general stores. Christ- and one of the Arsenal officials who happened church, the upper storeys were gutted, and the I to be lying sick in bed at the time was burned stock, valued at £70,000, was damaged to the to death. None of the machine shops, it is from T'singkiangou by some soldiers, two pi

> The statement that emanated from Chefoo that the body of a foreigner had been discovered at Port Arthur appears to have been without foundation. The Norwegian named Oberggiven by the Chefoo Express as Anberg-who proceeded to Port Arthur with Mr. Hart, returned to Chefoo in the Æolus. Mr. Hart himself was arrested by the Japanese before he reached Port Arthur, so that he never landed there while the place was held by the Chinese-perhaps - fortunately for himself. He was well treated by the no use for Mr. Oberg they obtained a passage for him back to Cheloo in the British man of war.

The statements that have been made that there are large stocks of coal at Wei-bai-wei are devoid of truth. There is absolutely no piace at the port where large stocks of coal can be SCOTT's Emulsion of Pure Cod Liver Oil with stored, and the Chinese men-of-war when lying Hypophosphities, for Richets, Marasmus and all there found this out to their cost, as they were wasting disorders of children, is very remarkable. frequently detained for a long time until coal in its results. The rapidity with which children could be sent to them from Port Arthur or else- gain flesh and strength upon it is very wonderful. where. It is confidently stated by those who Read the following :- "I have tiled | Stock's know Wel-hal-wel well that there cannot be Emelsion in cases of wasting in young children, more than 600 or 700 tons of coal stored there.

A Kobe paper says that a connection between the 1st and 2nd Army Corps has been already made, telegraph wires having been laid across the country so that each army is thoroughly acquainted with the movements of the other.

Chapter of Chinamic Chap A Fook, at Watking & The whole country, it would seem, to practice

A decree dated the 4th instant, has been issued In answer to the report of Yu I u, the Gove nor-General of Wentlen, who had been ordered by the Threse to enquire Into the recent I so of Kinchen, near Port Aithur, and the following are to be the penalties awaided the Generals and officers concerned in the affair:- "Lien Shun, Manchu Brigadier-General of Kincheu, although wounded severely in defending the city against the attacks of the Japanese, as he was not able to keep the place. Is cashiered; but is commanded to remain in the aimy to redeem November, a Chinese force in two large columns by future deeds of bravery, the disgrace of the present occasion. General Ch'eng Chih-wei, for Waiting until the first column had advanced not having been able to give proper relief to Kinchou, is to be turned over to the Board of War for the determination of severe penalties. Chao Hual-ylb, the commander at the Talienwan forts, for not sending succour to Kinchou as was his duty to do, and then allowing his soldiers to rob and pillage during the retreat, is to be cashlered and sent under escort to Peking for trial and sentence. The Manchu Colonel, Ting Mon-mib, for being tardy in sending aid in Kinchov, is to be turned over to the Boards for the determination of a penalty. As for Yil Lu himself, being the Governor-General of the province whe eall this is happening, his conduct is reprehensible, as did not mide preparations to meet contingencies. He, therefore, also is to betweend over to the Boards for the determination

CHRFOO NOTES.,

A correspondent writes to the N. C. Daily Name on November 20th :--The British fleet was seen yesterday at steam

tactics a me distance out to see, afterwards pissing away to the north. The Archer leaves to-day for Chemulpo and a cruise round the ports of Formoss, and then goes to Hongkong to pay off. The German cruiser Alexandrine has passed through to the south. The Molus has just arrived from Port Arthur. The French men-of-war Bayard and Lion, and the Russian cruiser Kreysser are still here.

Kung Taotal, of Port Arthur, serived some days ago and is going on to Tientsin, and Captain Calder, the late Harbour Master, is still a resident here. Mr. Hart, Reuter's agent, left some time ago for Port Arthur in a small junk taking Mr. Oberg, a Chefoo resident, with him as sailing master. Mr. Oberg returned to-day in the Æolus and rep its that Mr. Hart is a prisoner with the Ispanese, who intend to detain him for some little time in order that they

may supervise his correspondence. The accident to the Chinyses at Wel-bal-wel on the 16th inst. has turned out to be very serious. The damage extends on both sides of the ship over forty of her frames. The ship has a double bottom and the outer bottom plating on each sideris ripped up, but on the port engineroom compartment the framing and engine scaring is forced up to such an extent that the inner skin is broken, and that compartment getting flooded the ship listed over to port until the main deck was in the water. The ship has been beached and some temporary repairs effected by foreign divers. The officers and crew seem to have been paralysed by the disaster and to be utterly without tesserce unless it is of the kind adopted by Li Tal-tsan. With only the repairs that can be effected in Wei-hal-wei, it will be a risky thing taking the ship to any dock, and it would take a first-class establishment about

TSINGRIANOPU.

two months to repair her.

(" M. C. DAILY NEWS " CORRESPONDENT.) November 27th.

Since your correspondent's last letter thousands of soldler have been pouring through this city going to the war. Among them were the fu bias of Kiangai and Anhui, the special troops of the Governor of those two provinces. These regiments were detained for several days, unable to secure carts or barrows, and there were some grave exceptions to the uniformly quiet behaviour of the soldiers. Several fights courred between the Hunan and Klangsi and Aubul brayes, who are very jealous of each other. It is said that two sungling threatened each other in the presence of the Taotal, who was endeavouring to

paich up a quarrel about carts. No means of transportation could be secured for some new Gatling guns, and the soldiers in charge took the guns with the caissons to the magistrate's, yamen, ir solently remarking that as he had falled to secure carts for them, the guns would be deposited in his hall, to be forpoor magistrate was Aukis (scared to death), but the Tisactal came to his relief and sent the men and guns on their way. Some of these men actually took possession of six horses in the magistrate's yamen to carry their baggage north; with their horsewhips, and the magistrate was powerless to prevent it. Such is Chinese military discipline! A Klangel soldier who threatened violence to a woman, was condemned to death, but at the intercession of a sayes, his life was spared, and his ears were taken off instead. On the afternoon of November 10th one of our missionaries was returning from the north, when he was met on the bighway about 40 / who demanded his cart. On his offering resistance, they set upon him with a carrying pole, and struck him several severa blows. threatening also to kill him with a sword, which one of them carried. The foreigner was forced to beat a basty setreat, and the soldiers after emptying his, luggage into the road, took possession of the cart and horse, and proceeded on their journey. The magistrate of this city

was applied to for assistance, but alleged his inability to do anything in the case. Liu Kun-yi, the Viceroy of the Liang-kinng provinces, reached this city at noon on the sath of November amid the mensi display & bunting TERY and COMPANY. Japanese and had no objection to stay with them, and rattle of musketry. He spent the 25th at while they appear to have been willing to make Shiba, a sait station a few miles north of use of him as a war correspondent. As they had Tringkiangpa, and proceeded early on the a6th on his journey north. No doubt the Viceroy is enything but easy at the prospect of stepping into the great Li's shoes, and is praying that wind and weather may delay his journey until the impending crisis is past.

> and I am of opinion that it is a valuable preparation for such cases. The children take it and ask for more, and the good effects are apparent. I consider it far superior to ordinary Cod Liver

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Mer 164 .- The RIFLE RANGE is placed at the disposal of the OFFICER COMMANDING MACHINE GUN COMPANY of SATUR-DAY mest, from 2.50 P.M. for RECRUITS COURSE of MUSKETRY.

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C. S. TAYLOR, Lieut, R.A., Hongkong Volunteer Corpe.

Hesdquarters. Hongkong, 11th December, 1804.

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ST. ANDREW'S CHAPTER, HONGKONG, No. 218, S.C.

A NADJOURNED CO VOCATION of the above CHAPTER will be held in the FREEMASONS' HALL, Zeiland Street, on THIS EVENING, the 17th instant, at 8 30 for o o'clock precisely. Visiting Comparions are cordially Invited.

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" FOKIEN." Captain Davis, will be despatched for the above Portfon THURSDAY, the 13th instant, at 10

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The above Steamer baving arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from along-

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and

C. L. GORHAM Acting Agent, Hongkong, 11th December, 1804.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

The "hongkong telegraph" will be on sale at the Hongkong and Victoria Hotels, opposite the Hongkong Club, and as Pedder's Wharf, EVERY EVENING from 5.30 to

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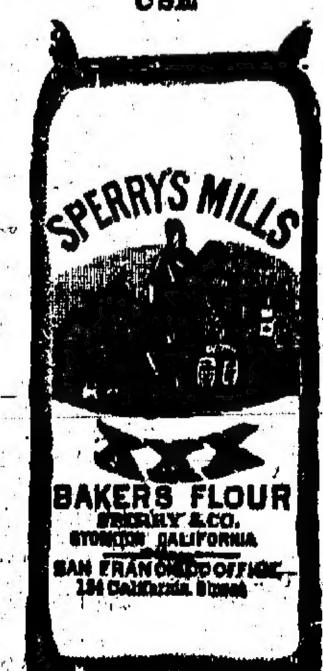
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\$12, sales and sellers. The West Point Buildings Co., Limited-218 per share, sellers. Humphreys' Estate and Finance Co., Ld.-\$14 per share, sellers,

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EXCHANGE. Bank Bills, on demand2/og Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight ... 2/08 Credits at 4 months' sight 2/04 Documentary Bills, at 4 months' ON PARIS-Bank Bills, on demand2.55 Credits, at 4 months' sight2.61 ON INDIA !-On Demand1881 On SHANGHAL-Private, 30 days' sight747

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THE ENGLISH MAIL The P. &O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Peninsular. with the outward English and French mails, left Singapore on the 8th instant, and may be expected here on the 13th.

THE FRENCH MAIL The Messageries Maritimes Co.'s steamer Yarra left Singapore on the 8th instant, and may be expected here on the 15th.

THE GERMAN MAIL. Garg, with the outward German mail, left Messrs, F. Feklin and A. Weber, For Mar-Colombo on the 9th instant, and may be expected | seilles .- Mesers. Galopin, L. Tonet, Jules here on the zist. THE AMERICAN MAILS.

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer Pers, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port, via Yokohama and Nagazaki on the sath ultimo. The O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Oceanic, with

NORTHERN PACIFIC MAIL The Northern Pacific Steamship Co.'s steamer Silk left Tecome for Japan and Hongkong on the 23rd ultimo.

STEAMERS EXPECTED. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Formesa, from London on the 28th ultimo, left Bombay on the 25th ultimo, and may be expected here to-

The 'Union' line steamer Obsron, from Hamburg, left Singapore on the 5th Instant, and may be expected here to-morrow. The China Mutual Co.'s steamer Keeman, from

Hamburg, left Singapore on the 6th instant, and may be expected here on the 13th. The N. G. I. steamer Bormida left Bombay. on the 8th Instant, and may beexpected here on the 28th. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Ceylon left

London for this port on the 26th ultimo.

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CHANGSHA, British steamer, 1,462, O. Anderson, 11th Dec.,-Sydney 20th Nov., General,-Butterfield & Swire. CALEDONIEN, French steamer, 2,633, Flandin,

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MATHILDE, German steamer, 600, P. Moos, 11th December,-Quinhon 13th December, and Touron 12th, General.—Siemssen & Co. BELGIC, British steamer, 4,211, Wm. H. Walker, rith Dec .- San Francisco 15th Nov., Yokehama th Dec., and Nagasaki 8th, Malls and General.-O. & O. S. S. Co.

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Amy Turner, American barque, for Baltimore. Swatow, German steamer, for Halphong. Hallan, British steamer, for Swatow, &c. Moldava, British steamer, for Kintang.

DEPARTURES. December 11, Kwangles, British steamer, ser December 17, Glenfarg, British steamer, Singapore, &c.

December 11, Tacoma, British etr., for Shanghal. December 11, Swatow, German steamer, fer . Halphong. December 11, Activ, Danish str., for Holhow.

PASSENGERS-ARRIVED. Per Caledonies, from Shanghal for Hongkong -Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Becton and servant, Hon. C. and Lady Freemantle and maid, Miss Freemantle, Mesers, Tata, K. E. Banji, Delbanco. Comte d'Hemolotein, J. Crocher, L. Revieus,

11 Chinese and 1 Indian. From Yokohama. Messrs. Boudonneau and Brequeville. From Kobe.-Rev. and Mrs. Campbell and child. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moore, Mr. and Mrs Rogers, Miss. Paterson, Dr. Frederich, Messes, Hutchinson and C. F. Focken. From Naganati. - From Naganati. S. Thomas, Ohishi, Noguchi, Vata, Yoshida, Mesers, Mounegres, R. Theron, Bully, Berling, AMY TURMER, American barque, 953, Warren, Valdensire, Ourdan and 3 boys, J. Berthon, and 3 sailors. For Aden .- Mr. Morin. For Marmeilles.—Mr. G. H. Fergusson (Dutch Minister), ATLANTIA, German, bark, 613, ... W. Schaelder, Miss Russell, Meiste. Ch. Denby, W. B. 25th Nov.,—Newcastle, N.S.W., 18th Sept., Miss Russell Meiste OCh. Deaby, WW Russell, G. S. Boodelin, and W. E. Lees From Yokohama for Salgon.—Messre: Larrey, Osdin. I. Marius. For Colembo .- Mesers. C. Bitwiste and J. C. Singer. For Marselller .- Massre, A. Halot and C. Hasebe. From Kobe for Singapore.- Messra. Kooneessy and Y. Massle. From Nagasaki for Salgon.-Mr. Akkita. For The Norddentscher Lloyd Co.'s steamer Singapore.-Mr. Nakagawa For Port Sald.-

> Latour, P. Devillers, Nicolas Jossein, and Joseph Lambrecht. Per Hangchow, from Chinklang .--- Chinese. Per Fohlen, from Tamsul, dio -4 Chinece. Per Belgie, from San Francisco, dec .- Meserie. Hurner, Macleod, and 308 Chinese.

The Indo-China steamer Wingsong, from Calcutta, left Singapore on the 4th instant at 6" Pur Britain Str., and Mrs. Scatter. For Section Williams Southampton, Captain Calcutta, left Singapore on the 4th instant at 6" Pur Britain Str., and Mrs. Scatter. For Section Str., Section

Patrick. From Manila for Genoa .- Mr. August Kes. From Foocbow for Southampton .--Mr. land Mrs. Brochets. From Shanghal for Col mbo.-Mr. G. Thomsen. For Genoa.-Captain Holmeyer. For Naples .- Mr. S. von Lutsau. For Bremen .- Mr. J. Nielsen. For London .- Misses Sanderson, McQuillan, Messrs. W. A. Tatcheth and Grucie. From Yokohama for Southampton .- Messrs. Sock, R. Findley, J. I. Hunter, R. Frager, G. C. Poulson, J. Croft, Deighton, A. Cempbell, A. L. Blackie, and 16 Europeans. From Hyego fer Southampton .-Messrs. John Gilchrist, R. R. Cole, J. Semple, John McQuarrie, A. Short, K. McLeod, and 19 Europeans. From Hyogo for Antwerp .- Messrs. A. Cramer aud F. Jacquemain. From Nagisaki for Col mbo -- Mr. Bohringe.

The British steamship Moldava reports that she left Barry Dock on the 20th October. From Barry Dock to Singapore had fine weather. In the China Sea had beavy north-east monsoon. The Bitish steamship Hangchow reports that she left Chinkleng on the 6th instant, and had

strong north to north-east winds from Yangtsze

to the Hi:shans; thence to port had moderate to EMPRESS OF JAPAN...Comdr. G. A. Lee, R.N.R......WEDNESDAY, 26th December. light winds. RMPRESS OF CHINA ... Comdr. R. Archibald, R.N.R.... WEDNESDAY, 23rd January, '05. The British steamship Fokles reports that she left Tameul on the 8th instant, and had light north-easterly winds and considerable north-east swell with fine clear weather. In Tamsul the steamships Cass, Albert, and Formosa. Amoy on the 10th, and had calms with light easterly swell to the Lammocks; thence to port had light to moderate north-west breeze and fine clear weather throughout. In Amoy the steamships Thales, Namoa, Mandarin, Rwong-mo.

and Pekin. The British steamship Changsha reports that she left Sydney on the 20th ultimo, and had moderate south-cast winds and fine weather along the Australian coast until Townsville was reached, when dull rainy weather was encountered, which lasted to arrival at Thursday Island on the 28th; thence to Port Darwin, which was reached on the 1st instant, hed light south-east winds and fine weather. After leaving the latter port a continuation of the same weather was experienced to Cabra Island; thence to port had strong monsoon and fine weather.

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A MAIL WILL CLOSE-For Swatow and Bangkok.—Per Devawongse to-morrow, the 12th instant, at 8.30 A.M. For Shanghai -Per Changsha to-morrow, the 12th instant, at 10 30 A.M.

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LTEAMERS.

CHINA, American steamer, 5,288, W. B. S cabury-3rd Dec.,-San Francisco 6th Nov., Honelulu 13th, Yokohama 27th, and Pagassid 30th, Mails and General.-P. M. S. S. Co. CHINGTU, British steamer, 1,459, R. Innes, 27th Noy .. - Sydney, and Thursday Island Sth Nov., Coals and General.-Butterfield &

CHUNSHAM, British steamer, 1,281, Stovell 10th November, -Bangkok 2 and Nov , Rice. -Bradley & Co. CONTINUENTAL, Dutch steamer, 673, C. Schall

30th Nov., -- Manila 27th Nov., General. --Cheat Ho & Co. OMARTY, British steamer, 1,864, W. S. Duncas, 5th Dec.,-Tegal asth Nov. and Samarang

26th, Sugar - Jardine, Matheson & Co. DEVAWONOSE, British str., 1,057, J. S. Reid, 6th December,-Bangkok 28th November, Journey at any point en route. Rice.-Yuen Fat Hong.

DOMAR, German steamer, 1,015, B. Grundmann, 16th November, -Saigon o.b Nov., Rice, -Lauts, Wegener & Co. EMPRESS OF JAPAN, British steamer, 5,904, Gco.

A. Lee, Lieut. R.N.R., 3rd Dec., -- Vancouver 12th Nov., Yokohama 26th, Nagasaki 30th and Shanghai Tet Dec., Mails and General. -C. P. Railway and Sfeamship Co. FAME. British steamer, 117. Captain Stopaul .-

Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co.'s tug. HAMOI, French, steamer, 739, T. V. Chodzko, 7th December,-Halphong ath Dec., and Holhow 6th, Rice and General.-A. R. Marty.

HATTAM, British steamer, 1,152, F. D. Goddard, oth Dec .- Foochow 6th Dec. Amoy 7th and Swatow 8th, General,-D. Lapraik

Loo Sox, British steamer, 1,020, J. B. Jackson, oth December. -- Bangkok 20th Nov., and 1st Dec., General.-Yuen Fat Hong. LOYAL, Dutch steamer, 1,205, Schall, 9th Deg., -Cardiff 27th September, Coals,- Wieler

DERHORN, Norwegian ste. mer. 2,114, B. Ham merias, oth Dec . - Kutchinotsu ath Dec., Coals. -- Order.

NURNEERG, German steamer, 3,207, H. Walter, oth December. -- Yokohama toth Nov. Kobe and December,and Nagasaki tth, Mails and General.—Melchers & Co. PALLAS, British steamer, 2,102, A. Murray, 10th December, -- Moji 5th Dec., Coals-- Mitsui

Bishi Kaisha. PRAYA, 130. Captain MacIssuc.-Hongkong Government Tender. TAISANG, British steamer, 1,505, H. W. Hogg, 7th December,-Shangbal 4th December,

General .- Jardine, Matheson& Co. TRIUMPH. German steamer, 675, J. Pruho, 9th Dec., ... Haiphong 6th Dec., and Hollow 8th, General - Siemssen & Co. ZAFIRO, British steamer, 675, A. W. R. Cobben, arst Nov .- Manila 20th Nov., General.-Shewan & Co.

and Oct.,-Honolule 24th August, Kerosche

Oll -Order Coals.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.
BARCORE, British ship, 2,041, Lee, 7th October, -Cardiff 13th June, Cools. Order. BAYARD, British bark, 1,319, W. Richards,

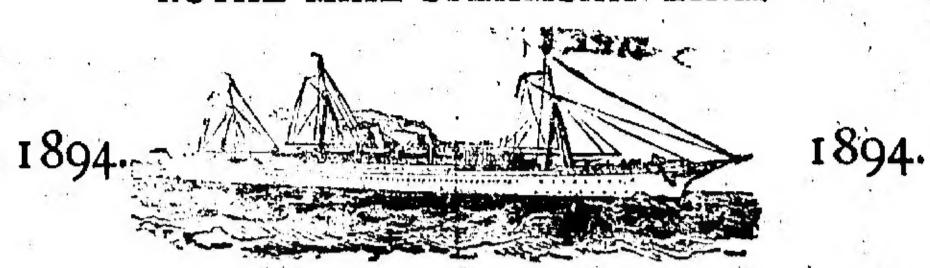
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